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Sir:

The following utility patent application is enclosed for filing:

Applicant(s): *Chung et al.*

Executed on: unexecuted

Title of Invention: INCLUSION OF NITROGEN AT THE SILICON DIOXIDE-SILICON CARBIDE INTERFACE FOR
PASSIVATION OF INTERFACE DEFECTS

PATENT APPLICATION FEE VALUE

TYPE	NO. FILED	LESS	EXTRA	EXTRA RATE	FEE
Total Claims	26	-20	6	\$18.00 each	\$ 108.00
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Multiple Dependency Fee If Applicable (\$270.00)					\$ 0.00
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- ☒ **DO NOT PUBLISH.** I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application **has not and will not be** the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing. I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).
- ☒ Priority of application no. 60,192,009 filed on March 24, 2000 in is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.
- ☐ The certified copy of the priority application has been filed in application no. filed
- ☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the following sentence: This is a continuation-in-part of application no. filed .

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Respectfully submitted,

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